### **OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST**

Events Occurring Throughout the State During the Past Week.

West Will Not Seek Office. Salem.-Despite rumors to the ef-Sect that he would be a candidate for re-election and that preliminary arrangements for his campaign were being made, Governor West positively announced here that he would not be a candidate for the office again.

"I want it distinctly understood," declared the governor, "that anybody who says I will be a candidate for reelection does not know what he is talking about. I think when my term expires I will have accomplished all I started out to accomplish and that will satisfy me. There is much hard work connected with the office, and the remuneration is not such that a man can save any money."

Opinion of Liquor Shipments Given Salem .- An opinion rendered by Attorney General Crawford holds that transportation companies cannot accept intoxicating liquor for shipment to dry territory unless they have in such territory an agent to keep a record of the shipments as provided in the bill passed at the last esssion of the legislature. It also is held that in, they are slaughtered by the wholeintoxicating liquor shipped into dry territory must be labeled as such, and a record must be kept by the transportation companies at the office where received and the office from which it is delivered.

Will Ask President to Aid Project. Portland.-Secretary of the Interior Lane and the Oregon conservation commission are working in unison for a complete department of irrigation and water power projects of the state. Secretary Lane announces that, in cooperation with the Oregon commission he would ask President Wilson to set aside approximately \$450,000 for reclamation service use in developing the lands of the Deschutes valley, if engineers' reports are favorable.

#### TO RECLAIM TULE LANDS

Owners Anxious to Close Channel Be tween Lake and River.

clamation service to close the channel turning informer. connecting the lake with Klamath river. If this is done the lands will soon be reclaimed by evaporation. When the railroad was built across the marsh, concrete headgates to control the flow of water across the channel were partially installed through the efforts of Abel Ady, who owned most follow the instructions of the univerof the land across which the railway sity experiment station, which for sevcompany had to get a right-of-way. eral years has made a special study The closing of the gates has been pre- of raising cattle for beef by the best vented by the Van Brimmer Ditch

company, a private irrigation concern, which gets water from the lower Kiamath lake. It is now proposed by the swamp land owners to supply water for the Van Brimmer ditch from the main canal of the Klamath project.

The channel could then be closed and close to 30,000 acres of marsh land made available for grasing and farming. The plan meets with the approvmation service.

County Deputies Look After Weights Salem.—Attention is being called by Deputy State Sealer of Weights and Measures F. G. Buchtel to the fact that under the bill creating his office, it is mandatory upon the county courts to appoint deputies in the counties of the state. These deputies will be under the supervision of the deputy state sealer of weights and measures. Mr. Buchtel has been provided with room at the statehouse and has entered actively upon his duties.

Night Fishing is Target

Astoria.-With the avowed object of putting a stop to night fishing for trout in the various streams in the county, an organization of 200 sportsmen of this city and vicinity has been formed and each member has been appointed a deputy game warden to serve without pay but with authority to arrest offenders. Some of the best trout streams in this district have been practically ruined by the night fishers, who build large bonfires adjacent to some of the deep pools and as the fish attracted by the light rush

Mineral Resources to Be Detailed. Ashland.-In accordance with an appointment from the state commission of mines, Dr. Winchell, of the faculty of the University of Wisconsin; L. E. Reber, of Madison, Wis.; Sidney W. French, of Corvallis, and C. B. Watson, of this city, will meet in Ashland to prepare a report on the mineral resources of the state of Oregon. The appointees have been making an exhaustive investigation of the various geological formations and mineral belts of the state.

Bridgie" Webber Stabbed in Back. New York.-Bridgle Webber, the New York gunman whose testimony aided in sending Police Lieutenant Charles Becker to the death house at Sing Sing, gave a new evidence of the grim spirit of the east side thug Saturday when he absolutely refused to Klamath Fails.—Owners of tule land give the name of a man who stabbed bordering on the lower Klamath lake him in the back about I o'clock in the have begun negotiations with the re- morning, probably in revenge for his

Nebraska Farmers Give Pledge.

Lincoln, Neb .- To do their part in reducing the high cost of living, 200 Nebraska farmers have pledged themselves to devote their time, talents id energies to increasing the production of beef cattle in this state, and to methods.

### NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST IN IDAHO

Important Occurrences Of The Past Week From Cities In Our State

Deep Snow Affects Yield. Moscow.-While the acreage of fall sown wheat is probably about equal to that of last year in Latah county, indications are that the yield will not be as large, owing to the damage done by snow on the north slopes. It is to be seen now that the great length of time the snow laid on the ground caused much of it to melt from the bottom, which had the effect of smothering and rotting the green roots of the fall wheat. In many fields of otherwise beautiful looking wheat are spots on the north slopes absolutely without any grain and in other places with a very poor stand.

Court at Wallace Adjourne. Wallace.—The jurors who have been in attendance at the district court have been discharged for the term and court has taken an adjournment until July 7, at which time the final steps will be taken in the closing of the sale of the assets of the defunct State Bank of Commerce.

Bankers Promise to Ald.

Lewiston.—Encouraged by Miss Grace Sheppard, state superintendent of public instruction, who has been in Lewiston, the Idaho Bankers' association will take upon itself the raising of \$2000 to further the cause of agriculture in this state among the boys and girls who are members of the potato clubs.

#### ARRESTED FOR BIGAMY

Twin Falls Man Takes Second Wife During Honeymoon.

Twin Falls,-Following the charge of bigamy made from Grand Rapids, Mich., against John Chisholm of this city, Mrs. Byrna Pitman-Chisholm, wife of John Chisholm, has filed suit for divorce. The case is a peculiar one. On March 23 of this year Miss Byrna Pitman and John Chisholm were married here. On the twelfth day after the wedding John Chisholm borrowed \$100 that the bride's father had given her as a wedding present and went to Grand Rapids "on important business.' Here he met Miss Julia Haskins, a young lady friend with whom he had been corresponding, and attended to the "important business," which was to procure a marriage license, the second within two weeks, and wed Miss Haskins.

Teacher and Lawyer Wed.

Lewiston.—The marriage of Miss Anna Webster Lytle, dean of women of the state normal school at Lewiston, and George W. Tannahill, a prominent Lewiston attorney, was solemnized here.

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> Philip Koenig, Pastor. ADVENTIST.

Every Saturday Sabbath School-10:30 a m Bible Study-11:30 a m Young peoples meeting-1:30 p m

Methodists.

Sunday School-10 A M Preaching Service-11 A M Junior League - 3 P M Epworth League 6:30 P M Preaching Service-73:0 P M Thomas Johns, PASTOR,

Vale 0198 Burns 01033 NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Vale, Oregon, May 19th, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Meivin S. Spaulding, of Payette, Idaho, who on November 27th, 1908, made Homestead Application No. 01988, for SEl Section 5, Township 178., Range 47E., Willmette Meridian has filed notice of intention to make final three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Vale, Oregon, on the 23rd lay of June, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses: Charley Darnell, Ira Book, Levi

Crull, J. C. Stewart, of Payette,

Bruce R. Kester, Register.

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